

Declaration of U.S. Citizenship, or Non-Citizenship with Eligible Immigration Status, and Authorization for Release of Evidence of Immigration Status

I, _____, certify, under the penalty of perjury, that:

(Check appropriate box)

- I am a U.S. Citizen, a naturalized citizen of the United States, or a national of the United States.
- I am not a citizen or a national of the United States, and I do not have eligible immigration status.
- I have eligible immigration status as defined in the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) of 1952, and I am providing the following documents as evidence of the following status:

- Immigrant status [INA Sections 101(a)(15) or 101(a)(20)]
- Permanent residence status [INA Section 249]
- Refugee, asylum or conditional entry status [INA Sections 207, 208, or 203]
- Parole status [INA Section 212(d)(5)]
- Threat of life or freedom status [INA Section 243(h)]
- Amnesty status [INA Section 249A]

Please be advised that evidence of your immigration status may be released by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (formerly known as INS) for the purpose of establishing eligibility for housing assistance. DHA is not responsible for the use or transmission of such evidence or other information as released to and by HUD. By my signature below, I am also authorizing the release of evidence of my immigration status.

Date

Signature

For children under the age of 18, the release of evidence form must be signed by the responsible adult who will reside in the unit.

WARNING: 18 U.S.C. §1001 provides that whoever knowingly and willfully makes or uses a document or writing containing any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or entry in any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States, shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned for not more than five years, or both.